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June 10, 2005

Jean A. Stone, Pre-Arbitration Officer  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Pkwy.  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243

Re: *Petition of XO Tennessee, Inc. for Arbitration with BellSouth  
Telecommunications, Inc. Pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of  
1996*

*Petition for Arbitration of the Interconnection Agreement Between  
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and XO Tennessee, Inc. Pursuant to  
Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996*

Docket No. 03-00630

Dear Ms. Stone:

In response to your notice of March 16, 2005, in the above-captioned matter, the parties are still engaged in negotiations at a regional level concerning an interconnection agreement that would apply to Tennessee and other states in the BellSouth region. The parties will file another status report within 30 days or sooner, once negotiations are completed.

Counsel for BellSouth concurs with this suggestion.

Very truly yours,

BOULT, CUMMINGS, CONNERS & BERRY, PLC

By:

Henry Walker

HW/djc  
cc: Joelle Phillips  
Dana Shaffer

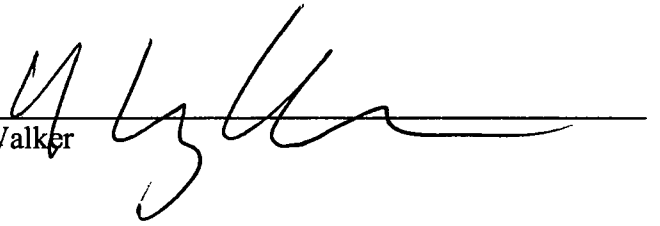
**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been forwarded electronically and via U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, to:

Joelle Phillips, Esq.  
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.  
333 Commerce Street  
Suite 2101  
Nashville, TN 37201-3300

on this the 10th day of June, 2005.

Henry Walker

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'H Walker', is written over a horizontal line.